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April 22, 2014

### To whom it may concern:

Today I was called upon to do a post mortem exam of "Candy", a female blue heeler belonging to Cole Middleton, Candy was involved in an altercation with a law enforcement agent on Mr. Middleton's property on April 19, 2014. I was asked to determine by the pathology of the tissues, the trajectory of the bullet; more specifically the entry point of the bullet.

I exhumed Candy and conducted a necropsy focused on the bullet wound. There was an approximate 1 cm hole in the skin caudal ventral to the right ear at approximately 2 cm caudal ventral to the base of the right pinna at the level of the stylohyoid bone. Soft tissue damage was limited to ventral and medial to her right zygomatic bone. The zygomatic and temporal processes were sheared off, leaving the zygomatic arch unattached and the right eye socket damaged. From here the soft tissue damage extended rostrally until 2 projectiles left the skin, one caudal dorsal and one caudal ventral to the right eye approximately 2 cm caudally.

In my estimation, based on my pathology findings, the trajectory of the bullet could best be described as caudal rostral, i.e. from the back of the head towards the nose. These findings suggest that Candy was shot while retreating from the shooter. Any questions can be directed to me at lacowdr@yahoo.com.

Sincerely,

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# 8TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT RAINS COUNTY CRIMINAL PRE TRIAL DOCKET

## THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2014

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v.		DOOLEY, JERROD B.	BND	\$10,000.00

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COMMISSION
A CYNTHIA LEON, CHAIR
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STEVEN P MACH
RANDY WATSON

Re: Administrative Investigation OIG2014-0177

Dear Mr. Middleton:

This is in reference to the administrative investigation conducted as a result of the personnel complaint you initiated against Trooper Gary Hayes. It was alleged that on April 18, 2014, Trooper Hayes conducted himself in both a discourteous and unprofessional manner during his interaction with you.

The information obtained as a result of the investigation into your complaint did substantiate that Trooper Hayes acted in a manner contrary to Department rules and regulations. You may be assured that the appropriate corrective action has been taken.

Thank you for bringing this matter to our attention.

Sincerely,

Luis A. Gonzalez
Assistant Director
Texas Highway Patrol

LAG:MSS/WMD:mrj

cc: Regional Commander Jack Webster Major Michael Bradberry Office of General Counsel Human Resources Office of Inspector General OIG2014-0177

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## Statement of Jarrod B. Dooley

My name is Jarrod B. Dooley. On December 14, 2013, I became employed as a Deputy Sheriff with the Rains County Sheriff's Office. That employment was terminated on April 24, 2014.

During my employment with the Rains County Sheriff's Office, I was involved in two incidents in which I shot a dog.

On January 3, 2014, I was dispatched to 4112 Highway 69, in Point, Texas. During that call, I shot a rottweiler dog. I did so because I feared bodily injury.

On April 19, 2014, I was dispatched to 6816 FM 514, also in Point, Texas. This was the residence of Mr. Cole Middleton. Shortly after my arrival, I shot his blue heeler dog, Candy. I also felt in imminent danger of bodily injury.

Following the second incident, I had a conversation with a fellow officer, Kurt Fischer. During that conversation, I told Deputy Fischer that I had no choice except to shoot the blue heeler because I was not going to be bitten again. I said this because during a previous employment, I was badly bitten by a dog.

I now recognize that my previous history has left me with an excessive fear of another dog bite. I also recognize that the normal duties of a peace officer require being in the presence of dogs on a regular basis.

Because of all of the foregoing, I am taking the following actions. I have signed a Permanent Surrender of License which will be filed with the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement. By this action, my law enforcement license and all certificates will be permanently surrendered to the State of Texas. I know that this means I cannot ever again serve as a peace officer.

In addition, I apologize to Mr. Middleton for shooting his dog. As I said, I know that my fear of being bitten again, and my past history, was a major factor in what resulted on April 19.

I have made this statement voluntarily and as a result of an agreement which will result in the dismissal of the Cruelty to Animals case against me.



Arrod B. Dooley September 18, 2014